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Via ECFS
Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

**Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to
47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1**

Dear FCC,

I am a consumer and I support broadband competition. I previously had DSL with Comcast and my rates continued to go up and up and I could never get customer service to take care of the slow connectivity issues.

I finally was able to switch to a more competitive provider with Sonic and get fiber and I haven't had a single connectivity issue since! I can finally use my Netflix account again and I am no longer paying exorbitant fees for a service I can't use.

It's critical to allow competition so that we the consumer are not held hostage to high costs and poor services.

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